

## Remarks

- 1) Applicant thanks the Examiner for her office action and for the in-person interview conducted July 19, with Examiners Janice Mooneyham and JamieSue Webb. Applicant gratefully acknowledges the Examiner's interview report, accepts it, and has nothing to add thereto.
- 2) Claims 1, 3-7, 9, 13-32, 34-48, and 50-54 are pending in the application. Claims 1 and 48 are independent. Claims 2, 8, 10-12, 33, 49, and 55 have been cancelled without prejudice. Claims 1, 15, 16, and 48 have been amended.
- 3) The claims were edited and amended to reflect the agreements reached during the interview of July 19<sup>th</sup>.
- 4) Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections, and issue of a notice of allowance on all pending claims is respectfully solicited.
- 5) Should the Examiner find any deficiency in this amendment or in the application, or should the Examiner believe for any reason, that a conversation with applicant's agent may further the allowance and issuance of this application, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact Shalom Wertsberger at telephone (401)289-2891.

Respectfully submitted

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